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CAPE TOWN FOR EMBASSY

1. AT AIRPORT PRESS CONFERENCE HELD JUST BEFORE BRITISH FOREIGN SECRETARY CALLAGHAN ENPLANED FOR GABORONE, TEXT OF JOINT UK-ZAMBIAN COMMUNIQUE WAS RELEASED. COMMUNIQUE REFERES TO CALLAGHN'S OFFICIAL TALKS WITH FONMIN MWUANGA AND TO DISCUSSIONS WITH PRESIDENT KAUNDA AT HIS FARM IN CHINSALI. CALLAGHAN WELCOMED SUCCESS OF RECENT INITIATIVES OVER RHODESIA TAKEN BY PRESIDENTS OF TANZANIA, BOTSWANA, ZAMBIA AND FRELIMO. IT WAS AGREED IT IS DESIRABLE TO MAINTAIN THE MOMENTUM OF RECENT DEVELOPMENTS UNTIL SOLUTION OF RHODESIAN PROBLEM IS ACHIEVED "WHICH IS ACCEPTABLE TO THE PEOPLE OF RHODESIA AND ENJOYS INTERNATIONAL SUPPORT." IT WAS ALSO AGREED TO WORK IN CLOSE COLLABORATION TO DETERMINE STAGES WHICH SHOULD BE FOLLOWED IN NEGOTIATIONS TO BRING ABOUT SUCH A SOLUTION, INCLUDING HOLDING OF A

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CONSTITUTIONAL CONFERENCE. BRITISH GOVERNMENT

AGREED TO ENTER INTO MORE DIRECT AND FREQUENT  
CONTACT WITH THE PARTIES CONCERNED IN RHODESIA  
AND ELSEWHERE.

2. AS NEXT STEP IN THIS CONTEXT, COMMUNIQUE STATES  
THAT CALLAGHAN HAS DECIDED TO OBTAIN FIRST HAND ACCOUNT  
OF SOUTH AFRICAN GOVERNMENT'S ATTITUDES BY PAYING  
PERSONAL VISIT TO SEE PRIMIN VORSTER WITHIN NEXT  
FEW DAYS IF THIS CAN BE ARRANGED. ZAMBIAN  
GOVERNMENT WELCOMED THIS DECISION IN VIEW OF  
KEY POSITION THAT SOUTH AFRICA HOLD IN SOLUTIONO  
OF RHODESIAN PROBLEM.

3. CALLAGHAN TURNED ASIDE REPORTERS' REQUESTS  
FOR MORE DETAILS REGARDING HIS PROPOSED MEETING  
WITH VORSTER, SAYING THAT DIPLOMATIC DIGNITY

REQUIRES THAT THIS INFORMATION BE RELEASED  
JOINTLY BY BOTH GOVERNMENTS. HE EXPECTED THAT  
JOINT STATEMENT GIVING TIME AND PLACE OF MEETING  
WOULD BE RELEASED SOMETIME THIS AFTERNOON.  
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